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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Hideo Shidara et al.  
Serial No.: 10/526,988  
Filed: March 7, 2005  
Art Unit: 1761  
Confirmation No.: 6987  
Title: **CONTINUOUS EMULSIFICATION PROCESS FOR PROCESS CHEESE  
TYPE AND EQUIPMENT THEREFOR, AND CONTINUOUS  
PRODUCTION METHOD FOR PROCESS CHEESE TYPE AND  
EQUIPMENT THEREFOR**  
Attorney Docket: SHG-037P2

Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

March 1, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**THIRD REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT**

An error was noted in the Corrected Filing Receipt (copy attached)  
issued in the above-identified application.

Specifically, the number of independent claims has been erroneously  
recorded. The number of independent claims shown on the Filing Receipt is  
incorrectly shown as " 1 ". The number of independent claims should be "3"

(corresponding to independent claims 1, 3 and 5 of the present application). A copy of the claims as originally filed in the above-identified application is attached to this request.

It is therefore respectfully requested that a new corrected Filing Receipt be issued to reflect the correct number of "Independent Claims".

It is believed that no fees are due in connection with this correction. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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